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HELMS TESTIMONY IN BALTIMORE

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(TEXT) NEW YORK, 27 APRIL--THE U.S. CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY OPENLY ADMITTED THAT IT USES EMIGREE ORGANIZATIONS IN THE UNITED STATES FOR ESPIONAGE AGAINST THE COUNTRIES THEY HAVE COME FROM.

TESTIFYING IN A CASE INVOLVING A CIA AGENT FROM ESTONIAN EMIGREE CIRCLES, CIA DEPUTY DIRECTOR RICHARD HELMS SAID IN A FEDERAL COURT IN BALTIMORE THAT THE AGENCY USES EMIGREES FOR ESPIONAGE ACTIVITIES. ACCORDING TO UNOFFICIAL DATA THERE ARE SEVERAL HUNDRED EMIGREE ORGANIZATIONS IN THE UNITED STATES, THE NEW YORK TIMES WRITES IN THIS CONNECTION.

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